ANOTHER HOLD ON THE CUP

Champion Beck Shows Erb that He Can Do Better Shooting than His Opponent.

For the Second Time Within Three Months Lafayette's Crack Shot Defeated by His Indianapolis Rival-Wen by One Bird.

BECK-ERB MATCH.

The Champion Again Defeats the Grack Shot from Lafayette. George Beck successfully defended the American Field cup yesterday against Fred Erb, and Indianapolis retains the wing championship of the United States. The Lafayette man did not leave the champion much margin, but it was just enough to win him the match, and was, therefore,

satisfactory. The match was very exciting, and from start to finish there was never a time when it was not in doubt. At the twelfth bird it was a tie. At the twenty-fifth Erb led Beck one bird, but the Indianapolis man caught him on the twenty-sixth, led him one at the thirty-third and remained in front to the finish, though Erb pushed him

dangerously close.

There were 2,500 people at the new park of the Capital City Gun Club, Brighton Beach, where the match took place. Among the crack shots from abroad who came to witness the contest were Rollo Heikes.
Dayton; Paul North, Cleveland;
Dr. J. M. Smith, Samuel Gray,
Fred Krauss and Mark Reed,
Lafayette; L. L. Cook and J. L. Hampton,
Richmond, and J. S. Dowling, Greencastle.
Krauss is rated about the best shot of the
Lafayette Gun Club, while Reed is one of
the most expert wing shots in the country.
There was scarcely any betting, and the
little money placed was even-up in each
instance. The friends of the contestants
had not enough confidence to offer more
than even money, and did not care to inthan even money, and did not care to invest much at that. They felt that it was the result verified their belief. The birds

were picked lots, and as fine as were ever

trapped. They were all lively, trapped well, and there wasn't a "duffer" in the Rollo Heikes was chosen referee. Dr. Ingersoll, of Lafayette, acted as judge for Erb, and Dr. Britton, of this city, served in like capacity for Beck. Royal Robinson was the scorer. Both men used Schultze powder and twelve-gange Parker hammerpowder and twelve-gauge Parker hammer-less guns. Beck's weighing seven pounds six ounces and Erb's seven pounds four-teen ounces. The latter won the toss, and at 2:06 opened the match by killing his first bird, a towerer and an easy shot, the second barrel being used for safety. Beck's opening kill was a pretty one, the bird being a speedy left quarter and neces-sitating the use of both barrels. There were cheers from the crowd as it came fluxtering to the ground fifteen yards from were cheers from the crowd as it came fluttering to the ground fifteen yards from the trap. Erb's second bird was an incomer, which he disposed of without any trouble. Beck's was a lively right quarter, which did not get far from the trap. Both men caught right quarters for their third shot. Beck's fourth was a driver and a difficult kill. It was a close call too, the bird taking both barrels and dropping just a few feet inside the boundary, whereat the crowd cheered vigorously. Erb's fourth was a driver, but it did not get a chance to fly far. His fifth, however, was of the same sort and so speedy and tough that it carried a load of shot over the fence and fell dead out of bounds. The first miss of the Lafayette man was greeted with a

fell dead out of bounds. The first miss of the Lafayette man was greeted with a shout of satisfaction from the large Indianapolis contingent in the stand. Beck followed with a pretty kill of a lively bird, which tailed away to the right in a most deceiving manner. The champion's first miss was on his eighth bird, a swift right quarter, which suddenly turned again and flew straight away. It was now the Lafayette delegation's time to cheer, which they proceeded to do in a healthy fashion. Their rejoicing was, however, almost instantly turned into mourning, for Erb missed his ninth bird, a driver and a very swift flyer. Beck's ninth bird was one of the prettiest kills of the match. It was a right-quarter bird, flying high and swift, but the champion's second barrel was too much for it. The score was tied on the eleventh bird, which Beck missed. It was a driver and a wicked shot, speeding away like an arrow. Things ran along smoothly until Beck's twenty-first bird, another driver, left the trap like a shot, and though wounded by the second barrel, it got over the fence and was lost. This dampened the ardor of the Indianapolis crowd somewhat, and elevated the hopes of the Lafayette men in corresponding degree. Erb led by a bird until his twenty-sixth chance came along. The bird was a driver, and not nearly such a hard shot as many a one he had made in the preceding twenty-five. He missed it clearly, however, and Indianapolis stock the preceding twenty-five. He missed it clearly, however, and Indianapolis stock went up once more. It rose still higher when the Lafayette man's thirty-second bird got away from him. The pigeon tailed away to the left, and though hit ged to struggle over the lence and fall dead out of bounds. It looked very rosy for the champion when Erb missed another bird-his thirty-sixth. It was a driver and a tough bird, and made a game struggle for life after weathering both barrels. First it wabbled to the fence on the left, then returned to the trap and finally circled around to the right and just managed to get across bounds. It did the Indianapolis man a power of good, but the bird lost its life just the same, for it was retrieved and killed having returned within bounds. Beck's thirty-seventh bird was a driver, and one of the eleverest kills of the afternoon. He brought it down full sixty yards away. Erb's thirty-eighth bird was a nice kill—a driver, and a puzzling one. His thirty-ninth looked like a lost bird, but it could get no further than the fence. Beck surprised the crowd in disagreeable style by osing his forty-first and forty-third birds again making the score a tie. Both birds were drivers, and very hard shots. There was evidence of great rejoicing in the Lafayette camp, but it was short-lived, for their favorite missed his forty-fourth bird, a driver, and duplicated the performance on the forty-sixth bird, a puzzling right quarter, out of which he knocked the tailfeathers. His last four kills were all clean and pretty, the birds being hard ones. Beck's forty-ninth bird was a driver, which

ped dead.

Beck's best run was 19 and Erb's 16. The former, in killing, used his second barrel seventeen times, and the latter thirteen times. The luck was about evenly divided, neither man being favored with much of that very desirable article. It commenced to rain a little about ten minutes before the finish, and the contest was scarcely over before it began to pour. A great shout went up when Beck's last bird finally concluded to die, and the champion was kept busy for a few moments shaking hands. The Lafayette people were naturally disappointed, but not as much so as they were at the match three months ago, when, for the first time, they saw Beck on his mettle. Dr. S. H. Moore's pointer, Joe, jr., retrieved the birds in well-trained style, and proved a very useful adjunct to the event. Hurlingham rules governed the match. which occupied just lifty minutes. The rise was thirty yards, and the boundary eighty yards, and five ground-traps were used. The match was for the championship cup and \$50 a side. Following is the score: Erb-2111* 21102 11121 11211 11122 01111 2*212 01121 11202 01111-43. Beck-21122 11021 01221 11112 01112 12112

tailed away to the right like an arrow, and

he missed it clean. As he stepped to "score"

for his final shot, the excitement ran high.

The bird was a swift, right quarter, and

it looked for a few seconds as if the match

would end in a tie. The champion sent

both barrels after the pigeon, which flut-

tered over near the fence, and finally drop-

11112 22212 02011 11102-44. The figure 2 denotes killed with second barrel. denotes dead out of bounds.

SWEEPSTAKES SHOOT. Four Events in Which No Particular Skill

Was Shown.

grounds this season, despite the fact that several of the "cracks" took part. Sam Gay, of Lafayette, captured first money— \$3.90—breaking seven. Anson and Heikes tied for second and divided \$2.34, each hav-ing broken five. Still, Partington and Smith tied for third and divided \$1.56, their records being three each. Score:

Heikes 01001 10101-5 Still 10000 10010-3 Partington 00100 01001-3 Swith 00010 01100—3
P. Edge 00001 00100—2
Crouch: 11000 00000—2
Meaker 00000 01100—2 Livenguth 00000 00110-2

Reed 10000 01000-2

Polster 00000 01001-2

Quail 00000 01000-1

The second match was at ten live pigeons, \$5 entrance. There were six entries and Anson won first money—\$12—with a clean score, Smith taking second—\$6—with nine birds. Score:

 Still
 22111
 02201-8

 Voris
 21111
 *12*1-8

 Polster
 21121
 02100-7

 Heikes
 11000
 11111-7
 The third match was at ten sparrows, \$2.50 entrance, and there were twelve entries. Heikes and Partington tied on nine and divided first money—\$9. Voris and Crank killed eight each and divided second money—\$5.40. Still, Smith and P. Edge tied on seven and divided third money—\$3.60. The other scores were: Hampton. 5; Polster, 4; Gray, 4; Reed, 3; Livenguth, 3.

The fourth match was at ten sparrows, entrance \$2.50, and there were seven entries. Partington killed nine, and took first money, \$5.25. Heikes and P. Edge tied on seven, and divided second money, \$3.15. Crank and Jones killed six each, and divided third money, \$2.10. Still killed five and Polster four birds.

ADVANCING THE CAUSE OF LABOR.

Central Labor Union Hears Reports and Takes a Stand Against Politicians.

The semi-monthly meeting of the Central Labor Union last night was largely attended. Delegates were received from the Horse-shoers, the Carpenters and Joiners, the Carriage-workers, and the Planingmill Machinists' unions. President Gruelle announced that last Sunday he had organized the laborers and helpers at Nordyke & Marmon's into a mixed union. About seventy-two had become members, and it was thought all would come in. The other employes had all received an intrease, but an advance had been refused them. They organized so as to be able to act with unity and efficiency.

Under the head of "State of the Trades," the carpenters, stone-cutters, machinists, book-binders, horseshoers, bakers, painters, cigar-makers, salesmen, German and English printers, salesmen, German and English printers, hair spinners, paper-hangers, carriage-makers and furniture-workers, were reported in prosperous condition, with but very few if any men idle. The coopers from Minter's shop reported that they were out, owing to a reduction of 5 cents in the price per barrel, which they had refused to accept. They had determined not to go to work till all the men were taken, back at the old rate. Help was not asked of the Central Union, the delegates thinking they could induce Mr. Minter to treat with them satisfactorily. The furniture makers reported a new English union of ninety-two members, and twenty-three members two members, and twenty-three members in the German union. The paper-hangers reported that at their meeting to-night the apprentice law would be adopted. At the conclusion of these reports the president spoke briefly, congratulating the union on its excellent condition, and stating that Indianapolis is the banner union city of the country. He advised cantion and concountry. He advised caution and con-sultation with the central union before any separate unions take important action relative to matters with employers. The maintenance of the workingmen's present power would depend on their being reasonable and just with their He next called attention to a resolution

by alluding to the fact that this is a camby alluding to the fact that this is a campaign year, and if like all other Indiana campaigns will be an exciting one. He mentioned the damage politics had done to organized labor in the past, and concluded by presenting the following:

Be i resolved, by the Central Labor Union, That this body will not indorse for office any candidate, on any political ticket, and that no candidate for office, nor State, county, ward or precinct committeeman, of any party, shall be eigible for membership herein.

This was adopted with a ready and hearty unanimous vote. The committee appointed to prepare a remonstrance against the proposed street-railway ordinance, reported at length. The opinion was set forth that it would be an invasion of the rights of the present generation and their posterity, no less than criminal, to vote away this franchise to an alien company, which monopolizes all the streets of the city. The committee deemed it unjust and foolish to extend the franchise, which now has ten years to run, to chise, which now has ten years to run, to the year 1926, on a mere verbal agreement to substitute a swifter motor power than animal power. If acsubject the city to a monopoly. Attention was called in the report to the street-rail-way company's disregard of the orders of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen. The company's rejoinder, asserting that bob-tailed cars, mules and rough tracks are similar to the service in other cities, was denominated as gall, "simple, sublime and incomprehensible." The company was charged with refusal to pay its just share of street improvements, and the belief was expressed that either the Supreme Court or the Legislature would undo the decision of Judge Howland on this subject. The report made a plea for competition in order to have fares reduced, and asked the honorable bodies to whom the appeal was addressed to decline to pass the ordinance.

The following resolution, after interest ing talk on its bearings, was adopted: Whereas, The trade label originates with the trades-union, it is, therefore, the duty of the trade-unionists to support union labels in preference to all others; and

Whereas, It would be unjust to the cigar-makers, hatters, shoemakers, molders and others who have worked zealously to build up a power-ful federation of trade-unions, to indorse a label issued by an organization which has made merchandise of labels in opposition to the union named; therefore, be it Resolved, That we do not indorse the uphol-sterers' K. of L. label, but, instead, the label of

the Upholsterers' National Union, if such label is in use; if not, we urge the adoption of a label for union upholsterers. A meeting was appointed for Saturday, the 24th, at 8 P. M., Mansur Hall, when a sewing girls' union will be organized. It was stated that some boss carpenters not in the carpenters' association are advertis-

ing in distant cities that carpenters are receiving \$3.50 per day here, and enough men cannot be found. It was decided to announce in the labor press that more carpenters are not wanted. The union then adjourned. Wants the City to Control the Lines. The Socialistic Section at its regular meeting yesterday adopted a resolution protesting against the extension of the charter of the Citizens' Street-railroad Company in any form and upon any con-

dition before the expiration of the present charter. It was urged that the sentiment in favor of the control of "such monopolistic institutions by the respective communities is constantly growing, and it is not impossible that within ten years from now the conditions may be ripe for carry-ing out such a plan." This view of the matter is to be presented to the Common Council.

Propylæum Directors.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Propylaum took place yesterday. The association has fifteen directors, onethird going out of the directory each year. The end of the first year made it necessary to elect five and the following were chosen: During the morning there were four sweepstake matches at the Capital City Gun Club's Park, and it was intended to have several others after the championship event, but the rain interfered with the programme. The first match was at ten blue-rocks, \$1 entrance. There were thirteen entries and the shooting was about the poorest seen on the

KEEPING DOWN THE DUST

Several Good Citizens Urge the Making of Better Streets as the One Thing Desired.

With Them and a System of Thorough Cleansing, with Grass Plets Thrown In, the City Would Become a Paradise.

The Commercial Club met last night in Board of Trade Hall to discuss the question of sprinkling the streets. "The matter for consideration," said President Lilly, "is the dust nuisance. Our city, through the introduction of natural gas, is practically smokeless. If we can provide a way of disposing of the dust we will certainly

have a most healthful and beautiful city." The first speaker was Mr. George G. Tanner, who discussed the effect of dust upon business. "It should not follow," said Mr. Tanner, "because we are created of dust and are to be returned to dust that we should be so intimately connected with it now. Water is of course an antidote to the nuisance, but the best way to get rid of it is by having streets with better foundations. Most business men in paying for sprinkling do not think much of the property that is saved which otherwise could be injured by dust, as they do of their own comfort. In healthful, progressive cities we find well-watered streets where there is dust, and cleanly-swept streets where there is no

Dr. John N. Hurty spoke on the effect of dust upon the health. "The prime neces-sity of life is air," said the Doctor. "The necessity first and last is to breath it, and its purity is essential to health." He then went on to show the mechanical effect of dust upon the health, and that it frequently carried disease germs. "Sprinkling." he continued, "is not the most hygienic way to get rid of dust. We should have pavements from which it could be readily swept

while sprinkling is a little better than dust, it does not meet the requirements. He thought the solution of the question was in making streets with a smooth surface which may be kept clean, in having the roadway narrow, with grass-plots between the pavement and the roadway on residence streets. He said that Indianapolis had, probably, more dust-producing surface than almost any city of its size in the world, and that the remedy would be to reduce the area of dust-producwould be to reduce the area of dust-produc-ing surface." Dr. Jameson, like Dr. Hurty, laid much stress upon the disease germs that were distributed by the dust of the

streets.

Dr. L. D. Waterman followed in a similar strain, though in the outset he showed that the Celtic and Anglo-Saxon races had lived and thrived through a great deal of filth. "But," said the Doctor, "we are constantly becoming civilized, and that means effeminacy—greater liability to these morbific disease-producing causes. While on one side we are better clothed and better fed than our ancestors, we powder up with our wheels in our streets the excreta and disease sputa, and have it blown into our houses, and we crowd together and poison ourselves in close rooms with each others' breaths. I believe the time will come when a man will lose character as a citizen when he sweeps his dirt out in the street."

"I am not so much alarmed about the dust," said Dr. A. W. Brayton, who next spoke. "It has a great place in the world. The great plains from Kansas to the Rocky mountains are made of dust, and that dust is not harmful. My opinion is we should keep our streets clean and decent to save property in our stores, and for the great comfort of our citizens. I am not struck with the danger from sputa communicating tuberculosis, if we keep it wetted down. But the dust in homes, stores, manufactories, where people are compelled to breathe it, is the dust we are interested in; the dust that propertyholders sweep the dust that property holders sweep into the streets. Every man should be made to take care of his premises, and to burn up or remove his dirt. Let us have

more shade trees, narrower roadways, wider grass strips; compel store-keepers and dwellers to take care of the dirt, sprinkle the streets we are compelled to travel upon, and our city will be well enough in a sanitary way."

"We recognize," said the next speaker, Dr. Theo. Potter, "certain distinct forms of disease in the lungs, due to inhalation of dust of various kinds. Among these are stone-cutters' consumption, miners' consumption, millers' consumption, etc. These are diseases in which gradual changes take place in the lungs as the result of mechanical irritation alone. It is reasonable to suppose that minor degrees of disease may cal irritation alone. It is reasonable to suppose that minor degrees of disease may be brought about by lesser inhalation of dust." The Doctor, continuing, said that a result of primary inflammation was to give less resisting power to the lungs and leave them more susceptible to infection from disease germs. He spoke of germs of tuberculosis, diphtheria, scarlet fever and other diseases, in the dried matter in the streets being communicated in the dust that is breathed. "I have no doubt," he said, in conclusion, "if you can secure cleanliness in our streets and houses, you will be doing a good work, not only for the appearance of streets, but for comfort and the public health."

Dr. J. L. Thompson spoke of the reckless-ness with which filth of all kinds is committed to the streets of this city, and mentioned the trash about the market places and the hand-bill nuisance, which was not tolerated in other cities. The Doctor was in favor of narrow roadways and better ones, broader sidewalks in the business portions of the city and wider grass plots in the residence portions.

Ex-Mayor Denny said there was no law at this time which gives the city power to let street-sprinkling by contract or to comproperty-owners along the streets sprinkled to pay according to frontage. He suggested that more might be done by small hand hose if the water company would encourage people to take the water.

Mr. Frank H. Blackledge thought there would be power for the Council to provide for the street sprinkling of the city were it not for the 90-cent limitation of tax, which of course, would cut off anything of this kind, as sprinkling could not be done in this way without taking from some other branch of the city service, thus robbing Peter to pay Paul. He said it had been shown that it cost only half as much to sweep asphalt streets as to sprinkle other

Mr. H. Bamberger offered a resolution that a committee of three be appointed by the president of the club to thoroughly consider the subject under discussion, with a view to devising a practicable method to abate the dust nuisance in Indianapolis. and report to the board of directors. The resolution passed unanimously, and H. Bamberger, Dr. J. N. Hurty and C. S. Denny were chosen as the committee, which concluded the labor of the evening.

Swindler Howard Sentenced. J. B. Howard, alias S. Mitchell, arrested here some weeks ago, was arraigned at Fort Wayne yesterday morning and pleaded guilty to the charge of procuring money under false pretenses from numerous carpenters' unions throughout the West. He was sentenced by Judge O'Rourke to two years in the penitentiary. His swindling operations were conducted in Chicago, Indianapolis, Defiance, Battle Creek, Fort Wayne and other points. Howard's part-ner. Charles McCarthy, is held for further

evidence. Indiana Wool-Growers.

The meeting of the Indiana Wool-growers' Association that is to occur here Friday was called at the request of several of its prominent members. It is to consider legislation pending in Congress concerning the wool-growing interests. The meeting is to be held in the lecture-room of the State Board of Agriculture at the Capitol, and all who have connection with the industry either as growers or manufacturers are in-

vited to attend. Clearing-House Association.

The Clearing-house Association reorganized, yesterday, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, F. M. Churchman; vice-president, V. T. Malott; treasurer. Theo. P. Haughey: manager, William Wesley Woollen. The president, vice-president and treasurer, together with W. P. Gallup, Wm. Bosson and John

P. Frenzel were chosen to constitute the executive committee. The association provided for weekly reports of the condition of the banks, to be made to the manager for publication. Measures were adopted which will make the compact among these banks much closer and stronger than ever.

DEATH OF AN AGED CITIZEN.

William Johnston Elliott Closes a Well-Ordered Life After Long Suffering.

William Johnston Elliott died yesterday morning at 4:34 o'clock, at his residence. No. 987 North Tennessee street. He was born August 24, 1810, in Butler county, Ohio. His father was James Elliott and his mother a member of the Hanna family. Their son grew up on a farm, receiving merely such education as the district school afforded. When about twentythree years old he married Mary Taylor. of Winchester, Preble county, Ohio, and from their union came six children, Byron K., one of the Supreme judges of this State, Joseph Taylor and Samuel W. Elliott, the latter of St. Louis, Mrs. M. E. Davis, Mrs. Flora C. Jones and William D. Elliott, of Ottumwa. About the period of the Mexican war the deceased was twice elected sheriff of Butler county, O., in which capacity he served with credit. He went from the sheriff's residence into the Hamilton House, the leading local hotel, and there his wife died. He then went to Cincinnati, where, in time, he married a daughter of Dennison Tuttle, proprietor of the City Hotel. In 1850, accompanied by his father-inlaw, he brought his family to this city, and took charge of the Palmer House, now known as the Occidental. In about a year he became proprietor of the old Browning House, on the site of the old New York store, and named it the Wright House. The next hotel venture was in the Ameriof Winchester, Preble county, Ohio, and The next hotel venture was in the American, now known as the Sherman House. His career as a hotel proprietor brought him into close connection with politics and politicians, and in 1856 he was a candidate on the Democratic ticket for carried disease germs. "Sprinkling," he continued, "is not the most hygienic way to get rid of dust. We should have pavements from which it could be readily swept and carted away."

Dr. Henry Jameson was of opinion that while sprinkling is a little better than dust, it does not must the requirements. He ental House. In the first years of the re-bellion he was elected recorder of this county, a position he held eight years. Governor Morton, however, made use of General Elliott, as he was called, on years. Governor Morton, however, made use of General Elliott, as he was called, on account of his former connection with the Ohio militia, in sending him to the front on important trusts and assigning him to raising troops. He became one of the best informed of men on the subject of the war, and exerted a great deal of influence, but his active years did not continue long after his retirement from office. While engaged in the ice business, some fourteen years ago, he was seized with a severe cold, terminating in rheumatism, and rendering him a helpless invalid till his death. In 1858 he became a communicant of the First Presbyterian Church, under the ministry of the Rev. Cunningham.

The funeral will occur to-morrow afternoon at 1:30, at the residence on North Tennessee street. The six children of the first marriage, and Mrs. Julia E. Peck, of New York, daughter by his second wife, who survive him, will be present. Owing to the absence from the city of Rev. Dr. Haines, his pastor, Rev. Edward P. Whallon will officiate. The pall-bearers will be Wm. Henderson, Chas. A. Wilson, James Morrison, Captain David Braden and Dr. C. C. Burgess. The interment will be at Crown Hill.

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Attacked the Officers.

Patrolmen James and Conklin arrested three men this morning, at 1 o'clock, on charge of a nameless crime. They, with another person who escaped from the offi cers, unidentified, were in a refrigerator car near Noble street drinking from a keg of beer. As the officers opened the car door to take their prisoners out, one of them hurled the keg at patrolman James's head, knocking him down and inflicting a severe bruise near the right temple. Patrolman Conklip was struck in the breast by a block of wood, but not hurt. The names of the men arrested are John M. Pete, John Feriter and Dan Krinney.

Knocked Down by an Engine. George Houpport, of No. 399 East Georgia street, was struck by a freight engine at the intersection of the Panhandle tracks and Pine street last night, and knocked down. He was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital in Kregelo's ambulance, where it was discovered that he had three ribs broken.

The Ticket-Brokers.

Thirty members of the American Ticketbrokers' Association arrived yesterday, and one hundred more are expected within the next twenty-four hours. The twelfth annual convention opens to-morrow.

DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN.

Local Forecasts. For Indianapolis and Vicinity-For the twenty-four hours ending 8 P. M., May 13-Rain during the night; colder cloudy weather: clearing during Tuesday. GENERAL INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, May 12, 8 P. M.-Forecast till 8 P. M. Tuesday: For Illinois and Indiana - Decidedly colder; northerly winds, with threatening

weather and rain; clearing weather and frosts in northern portions by Wednesday For Ohio-Cloudy weather and rain; variable wind, becoming northwesterly; cooler Wednesday morning. For Lower Michigan-Cooler, cloudy and

rain; northerly winds. For Minnesota-Continued cold and fair: northwesterly winds, becoming variable.

For North Dakota and South Dakota—
Slightly warmer; fair; winds becoming variable.

For Wisconsin-Colder; northerly winds; fair, preceded by rain in southeast portion; frosts are probable Wednesday morning.

Observations at Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 12. Time. | Bar. | Ther. | R. H. Wind. | Weather. | Pre. 7A.M. 30.07 54 76 Seast Cloudy. 0.00 7P.M. 29.76 66 73 Swest Pt. Cloudy. 0.18 Maximum thermometer, 75; minimum thernometer, 49. The following is a comparative statement of the condition of temperature and precipitation on May 12, 1890:

Normal.

 Mean
 62
 0.18

 Departure from mean
 0
 *0.04

 Excess or deficiency since May 1
 -49
 -0.49

 Excess or deficiency since Jan. 1
 *2.92
 *10.26

General Weather Conditions.

MONDAY, May 12, 7 P. M. PRESSURE.—The storm area was central this morning in western Kansas, with a temperature below freezing northwest from Lake Superior, it moved eastward during the day, dimmishing in size and energy and is central to-night over southern Missouri extending from the lakes southwestward to Mexico. A high area follows rapidly, which is central to-night in west-ern South Dakota; the barometer along the Atlantic coast is still high.

TEMPERATURE.—West of the Mississippi the temperature has fallen, east high temperature continues; 80 and above is reported from Texas, 70 and above from New Mexico, Indian Territory, southern Missouri, the Ohio Valley, North Carolina southward; 50 and above from southern Colorado, central Kansas. North Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, Indiana. southern Can-ada and northern New York southward; 40 and below from Wyoming, Montana, western Nebraska and western South Dakota, also from northern Wisconsin and northern Michigan northward.

Precipitation.—Snow fell in Montana, Wyoming and western South Dakota; rains in Colorado, Kansas, Iowa, Missouri, Illi-nois, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio.

National Conference of Charities. BALTIMORE, May 12.—Dr. A. G. Byers, of Columbus, O., president of the national Conference of Charities and Correction, has arrived. He is accompanied by his daughter Bertha, his private secretary. Mr. Alexander Johnson, of Indianapolis, secretary of the conference, will arrive to-morrow. The President and Mrs. Harrison are known to

be interested in charitable organizations, and as the President's city (Indianapolis) will be anxious to secure the next session of the conference the inability of the President to attend the opening sessions of the conference has been an occasion of very general regret. The conference will last from May 14 to 21, inclusive. It will be a notable gathering. The opening meeting on Wednesday next will be followed by a banquet. The citizens of Baltimore have subscribed \$4,000 for the dinner.

Message of Louisiana's Governor. BATON ROUGE, La., May 12.—The State Legislature convened here to-day. The Legislature convened here to-day. The Governor's message covers eleven newspaper columns, principally devoted to his views in opposition to the renewal of the lottery charter, also to the defalcation of Treasurer Burke, and suggests legislation to prevent a recurrence of similar crimes, and asks that a reward be offered for the capture of Major Burke. The Governor believes in a system of levees and expects that the general government will come to know that justice and right demand national protection against destructive agencies, etc.

agencies, etc. Collapse of an Opera Company. SALT LAKE CITY, May 12.—The Said Pasha Opera Company, which has been playing all over the country during the last season, has collapsed, and most of the members of the troupe are left here with-

out money or friends.

The chorus girls of the company, who were mostly recruited from New York and Philadelphia, are destitute, and the salaries of the principal members of the troupe have not been paid for a month.

Thinks Captain Hawkins Is Safe. CINCINNATI, May 12.-Marshal Johnson, with twenty-five prisoners, charged with illicit distilling, reached Covington to-day from Pineville, Ky. He was accompanied by seven guards and seventy-five witnesses. Marshal Johnson had not heard of the reported murder of Captain Hawkins, the revenue officer, and twenty-three men when he left Pineville, and his judgment is that it is a mistake that it is a mistake.

Heroic Boy and Grandmother Burned. CAMPBELLFORD, Ont., May 12.—A small dwelling occupied by a family named Winn burned early this morning. A thirteen-year-old boy named William Winn and his grandmother, Mrs. Catharine Soules, were burned to death. The woman was eighty years of age and helpless, and the boy lost his life in attempting to save here. is life in attempting to save ners.

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CI ARK—Harry, infant son of J. H. and Georgie Clark, aged five months, died at 10:30 a. m., May 12. Funeral to-day, Tuesday, at 1 p. m., sharp, at 66 East Washington st. Burial at Bridgeport. Friends in-vited without further notice. SOCIETY NOTICE. MASONIC -ATTENTION, SIR KNIGHTS!Raper Commandery, No. 1, K. T. Stated conclave this (Tuesday) evening, at 7:45 o'clock.
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